

Mr. Puthupally S. Krishna Pillai (*Legal Remembrancer*): Sir, I rise to a point of order. No member is entitled to question the ruling of the Chair in regard to the admission of questions.....

President: I oppose the objection. There is a further point: it is in order to prevent similar questions being put in future that the answers are worded like that.

Road leading from the 74th mile stone of the M. C. Road.

55. * **Mr. Kalloor Narayana Pillai** (*Mavelikara and Thiruvalla cum Pattanamittta*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(a) whether the road leading from the 74th mile stone of the M. C. road to the western gopuram of the Chengannur Mahadevar temple is maintained by the P. W. Department;

(b) if not until what year it was maintained by the P. W. Department;

(c) what is the distance of that road from M. C. road to the temple gopuram;

(d) what is the width of the present road;

(e) whether the sand kept inside the temple compound has been removed from there and kept in certain part of this road; and

(f) whether the sand so kept will be taken by water to the paddy lands lying east of this road during heavy rains?

Mr. M. S. Doraswami Aiyangar (*Chief Engineer*):

(a) Yes.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) 1320 feet.

(d) 20 feet on the average.

(e) Yes.

(f) Yes.

Irrigation tanks in the taluks of Parur and Kunnatnad.

56. * **Mr. G. Narayana Aiyar** (*Parur, Kunnatnad and Muwattupuzha cum Devicolam*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(a) the total number of irrigation tanks now existing in the taluks of Parur and Kunnatnad and the total extent of land served by those tanks;

(b) the total number of irrigation tanks which are under actual use and the number lying unused; and

(c) if there are unused tanks;

(i) what are the reasons for the non-user,

(ii) how long is it since such tanks lie in such unused condition,

(iii) what will be the extent of land that could be irrigated if such tanks are renovated,